JAPAN MAY ASK AN APOLOGY

COUNT OKUMA AGITATING THE SAN FRANCISCO AFFAIR.

Thinks the Mayor Should Make Public Amends and the Japanese Shou'd Be Treated as Angle-Saxons-U. S. Investigation of Riot Nearly Completed.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Tokio, June 3.-The Opposition newspapers quote Count Okuma prominently to-day as urging the concentration of Japanese national efforts toward the settlement of what is known as the San Francisco question; that Japan should demand a public apology from the Mayor of San Francisco; and also that the Japanese should receive treatment similar to that given to Anglo-Saxons in the United States.

forein lies the sole hope of definitely settling the question. Otherwise, if neceseary, demonstrative measures will be taken which it will be impossible to regard as precipitate in the circumstances.

Seven university professors, famous for agitation in moulding public opinion before the war with Russia and during the period when the peace negotiations were in progress, are again bestirring themselves, although this time in the direction of a generally more stalwart foreign policy, including Japan's dealings with Corea and

It is said that the Opposition, by means of public meetings and otherwise, will soon begin a campaign against the Saionji Ministry on the basis that it is showing itself too conciliatory and too much disposed to make concessions in the matter of the persecution of Japanese in San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, June 3 .- United States District Attorney Devlin finished to-day taking the testimony of eyewitnesses to the attack on the Japanese restaurant in The evidence will be Folsom street. forwarded to Washington.

The local immigration officials report that several attempts have been made recently by Japanese to land here by misrepresenting their status under the contract labor law. Attorney Devlin is also investigating these cases

Count Okuma, although he has retired from the leadership of the Progressive party and from active politics and is now president of the Waseda University, is still a great leader of public opinion. He may even wield more influence than when he was at active party leader. He speaks for the Japanese people, when he does speak, more thoroughly than any other man in Japan. It was he who recently remarked that Chile and Peru were "better suited to be included in Japan's sphere of influence in the future" than was Brazil.

BIG DEMAND FOR JAPANESE In a Year or Two, Canadian Agent Says

U. S. Won't Be Able to Get Laborers OTTAWA, June 3 .- A report received today by the Dominion Government from

Alexander MacLean, Canada's agent to Japan, gives the opinion that within a short time the United States will have more difficulty in obtaining labor from Japan than it now has keeping Japanese laborers out.

There is a growing demand for Japanese laborers from all the countries of South America and from Hawaii which promises with the demand for men for the development of Corea and Manchuria to absorb the whole of Japan's supply of laborers.

Within the last few months the emigration companies who deal in Japanese labor as an export commodity have filled contracts in Mexico for almost 10,000 laborers.

PRINCE EBERWEIN BANKRUPT. Cousin of the Queen of Holland Was Dis inherited for a Bourgeois Marriage.

pecial Cable Despatch to THE SUN. THE HAGUE, June 3.-Prince Eberweit of Bentheim-Steinfurt, who, as cabled to THE SUN some time ago, forfeited his hereditary rights and position in the German army by marrying the daughter of a burgomaster, is now bankrupt.

After the wedding he hired a castle at Oudwassenaar, near The Hague, perhaps hoping for recognition by his aunt, the Queen Dowager of the Netherlands. Neither she. Queen Wilhelmina nor the aristocracy

His failure to pay the rent for the castle has now led to its seizure by bailiffs, whose presence, however, did not disconcert the Prince and Princess. They played tennis together in a merry mood, ignoring the presence of the officers, who watched the games. The pair have now gone to Germany, leaving the bailiffs in possession.

SHOT FOR FINE DANCING.

Tragedy of the Danish Stage-Actress Mortally Wounded by Husband. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

COPENHAGEN. June 3 .- An actor named Nathansen fired two revolver shots to-day at his wife, a celebrated actress, mortally wounding her He then committed suicide The tragedy is attributed to jealousy. Nathansen was playing in "The Merry Widow," in the course of which she performed a waltz in which the composer f it says she showed a seductiveness as a dancer rarely, if ever, seen on the stage.

Her husband objected strongly to the passion his wife infused into the dance and several times threatened her. Finally, unable to contain himself, he shot and killed her and the man with whom she was dancing and wounded the manager of the theatre.

READY TO FIGHT GUATEMALA. Mexican Governors Telegraph Offer of Troops to President Diaz.

El Paso, Tex., June 3.-Acting Governor Sanchez of Chihuahua telegraphed to-day to President Diaz offering troops from Chihushua to protect the national honor against Guatemala. He says every man in the State is anxious for service.

The Governors of Guerrero, Jalisco,
Tabasco and Norelos have also telegraphed

Similar orders.
Enrique Creel, Ambassador to the United States from Mexico, was elected Governor of Chihuahua on Sunday. He takes the oath in November. He will appoint an acting Governor and retain his post as Ambassador.

THE REVOLT IN CHINA. Quiet Near Amoy Now-Famine Relief

and Onlum Repression. WASHINGTON. June 3.-The State Department received this morning a despatch from United States Consul Paddock Amoy saying that the situation there present is quiet. The insurrection is elieved by the people of Amoy to be due the withholding of famine relief supplies the officials.

Another cause assigned for the trouble the crusade against opium. Temporarily, r. Paddock says, the rebels seem to be defeated, but it is not known whether the movement has ended.

One More Art Burglary Arrest.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
LONDON, June 3.—Edward Morrie, a Ciapham picture dealer, was arrested to-day in connection with the burglary of Charles Wertheimer's Park lane house last February. He is said to be the man who instigated the robbery. The police magistrate

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TRYING MADRID ANARCHISTS. Tragedy of King Alfonso's Wedding at Last Reached in the Courts.

Special Cable Desputch to THE SUN MADRID, June 3.-The trial of Ferrer Nakens and five others, charged with assisting in the escaping of Marrel, the man who fired the bomb at King Alfonso and Queen Victoria on their wedding day opened to-day. Unusual precautions were taken to prevent a demonstration, but they proved needless, as nothing of the kind was ttempted. The court was crowded, chicfly

by uncultured people.

Ferrer was the first of the accused to be examined. He answered all questions frankly and clearly. He disavowed anrchism and denied that he was acquainted with Morral's intentions, although he was intimate with him personally.

Several letters written by Ferrer at varous times were read. They favored the use of bombs and poison in effecting social revolution, and contained such phrases as We desire to destroy existing society to its very foundations." Records of various financial transactions were read, showing that Ferrer controlled large sums, but counsel's inquiries as to their disposition did not elicit anything damaging to the

The court then adjourned Ferrer has had a remarkable and mys terious career. He was a humble railway employee in 1885, earning \$750 a year. He is now wealthy, partly owing to a bequest from one of his mistresses, who once during a quarrel tried to murder him. He has, however, expended much larger sums than the bequest or his probable earnings account for, and for this reason it is believed that he is a trustee of the revolutionists. He had had relations with all the latter.

The stubs of his check book contain many of their names, including those of members of the Terrorist section. Anarchist placards were posted to-day

in several parts of the city demanding the acquittal of the, prisoners or threatening reprisals. The police removed them.

THE REIDS DINE THE CHOATES. Distinguished Gathering at the Embassy in Hener of Fermer Ambassador.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, June 3.-Dorchester House was the scene to-night of a notable dinner-the econd of the season-given by Ambassador and Mrs. Reid in honor of ex-Ambassador and Mrs. Choate. The guests were mostly friends Mr. Choate made while he was here in an official capacity.

Among the number were Sir Edward Grey, Foreign Secretary: the Marquis of Lansdowne, ex-Foreign Secretary; Count Wolff-Metternich zur Gracht, the German Ambassador; Princess Louise of Schleswig-Holstein, the Russian, Turkish, Japanese and Italian Ambassadors, the Lord Mayor of London and his wife, the Duchess of Norfolk, the Duke of Roxburghe, the Duke of Westminster, Mr. Herbert and Mrs. Gladstone, Augustine Birrill, Chief Secretary for Ireland and Mrs. Birrill; the Duke of Portsmouth, Sir Frank Swettenham, Sir Gilbert and Lady Parker, Dr Nansen, the Arctic explorer; the Earl of Halsbury, ex-Lord Chancellor, and Countess Halsbury; Lord and Lady Brassey, Lord Stratheden, Lady Abercromby, Lady Pauncefote, the Earl of Lonsdale, Lord Ormsthwaite and Secretary Carter of the

American Embassy and Mrs. Carter. The house was adorned with a profusion of crimson rambler roses. At a concert following the dinner the artists. Mischa Elman, Elizabeth Dodge and M. Gillibert,

MEMORABLE LEVEE.

Edward Commemorates Events of Indian Mutiny-Americans at Court.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON. June 3 .- The King's levee held at St. James's Palace at noon to-day was brilliantly attended in spite of inclement weather. The full Diplomatic Corps

Ambassador Reid presented Eugene Parsons. Among the Americans present was former Ambassador Joseph H. Choate. Interest was added to the occasion by the fact that the day was the fortieth anniversary of the birth of the Prince of Wales and by the presence of survivors of the siege of Delhi, the defenders of the residency at Lucknow and of Lord Clyde's relief force, who had been especially invited in recognition of the fiftieth anniversary of the events of the Indian Mutiny

KAISER A CRUEL CRITIC. Bitter Words in the Artist's Presence for Wiesbaden Kurhaus Frescoes.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.
BERLIN, June 3.—The Kaiser's art criticisms are sometimes uttered with little regard for the feelings of the author of the work criticised. For instance, the other day while inspecting the new kurhaus at Wiesbaden he noticed that the frescoes were painted by Erler, an artist of some

distinction, who was present. The Emperor criticised them in a few dramatically bitter words. Then he turned away contemptuously, leaving the artist overwhelmed with chagrin.

The storm which caused the rain here was cen-tral off the southern New England coast yesterday morning and rain was falling from New York and New Jersey northward over all of New England. In southern New England the fall was beavy. Generally clearing weather was appearing in the lowe Lake regions and southward and southwest into all the Gulf States.

Low areas central over northern Texas and north of Lake Superior were causing scattered rain and unsettled conditions in the Missouri and upper Mississippi valleys and upper Lake regions. The temperatures in almost all districts continued below the seasonal average.

In this city rain fell lightly until afternoon; slightly warmer: what fresh northwest; average numidity at per cent.; barometer, corrected to read to sea level, at 8 A. M., 29.52; 3 P. M., 29.65 temperature yesterday as recorded official thermometer is shown in the annexed table

Highest temperature, 58°, at 5 P. M.

WASHINGTON FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND TO MORROW For eastern New York, joir and warmer to-day; partly cloudy to morrow and possibly showers in north portion light eartable winds, becoming west. For New England, fair and warmer to day and to morrow: fresh northwest winds diminishing. For eastern Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Dela ware, the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia fair and warmer to-day partly cloudy morrow: light variable winds. For western New York, fair and warmer to day; showers to morrow fresh southwest winds.

NONCONFORMISTS MAY REVOLT



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FRENCH STRIKERS WON'T YIELD

Government Offers Concessions to the Seamen, Who Telegraph Refusal. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. PARIS, June 3.-A delegation of the

maritime strikers, after interviewing M Thomson, Minister of Marine, and the president of the Naval Committee of the Chamber of Deputies, telegraphed to-day to all the ports that they had received assurances that modifications would be made in the Government's pension proposal on condition that the strikers im mediately resume their duties.

M. Thomson declared that there would be no prosecutions, and that he would endeavor to secure the reinstatement of the strikers. The delegates advised an immediate cessation of the strike.

The strikers at Havre have telegraphed to the delegates here refusing the pro-

ARREST AMERICAN IN PARIS. Professor and Others Say They Lost Heavily in Colorado Gold Mines.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN given as Charles Woods, or Gammon, a Californian, who is manager of the American Exportation Company, with offices in London and Paris, has been arrested charged with breach of trust.

The company issued stock of the Ecupse and Fosta gold mines of Colorado. Its nominal capital is \$200,000. Three cents were found in the company's safe here. One of the complainants, a university professor, says he lost \$18,000, while another, representing a group of speculators

BABY PRINCE A SOLDIER.

Number of His Regiment on Alfonso Bib-Queen Doing Well.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN MADRID, June 3.-Queen Victoria is doin

The baby's name has been entered upon the roll of a regiment and he wears the number of it, in gold, pinned on his bib A bed in the barracks is reserved for him as the latest recruit.

STOPS SELLING SHOE MACHINES.

United Co. Instructs Agents to Avoid Breaking New Massachusetts Law. Boston, June 3.-The United Shoe Machinery Company has made its first move since the passage by the Legislature of the

bill aimed at it. A despatch from Spencer "A copy of what appears to be a general order sent out from the headquarters of the United Shoe Machinery Company in Boston has been received by P. Russell Condon, the company's agent in Spencer, instructing him not to take any orders for machines

until further notice had been received from the company. The order as sent to Mr. Condon reads: "From date, do not solicit, lease or accept order for machines in Massachusetts. Strict attention to this order is requested.'

The signing of the anti-shoe machinery bill by Gov. Guild on Saturday making the measure a law is supposed to be the reason for the order.

The so-called "anti-shoe machinery" bill

was introduced in the Legislature by Sena-tor Vahey of Watertown at the request of Richard H. Long, a South Framigham shoe manufacturer. Although the bill does not mention the United Shoe Machinery Company by name, it was aimed at this concern. The law provides that no one shall make it a condition of any sale or lease of any tool, implement or machinery that the purchaser or lessee shall not buy or use implements or appliances of any one other than such vendor or lessee. A of not more than \$5,000 is the penalty.

BENRY PHIPPS'S PHILANTHROPY Plans to Spend More Millions to Fight Con-

sumption in Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, June 3 .- Henry Phipps, he Pittsburg iron manufacturer who established the institute here for the study of consumption and means for fighting the disease, has bought the block bounded by Lombard, Addison, Sixth and Seventh streets and will use it as the site for a building to house the institution.

The property cost in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000, and it is said that Mr. Phipps has plans for spending as much more for

the building.

The block is in the heart of the poorest and most crowded part of the city, where there are more deaths from consumption in any other section

It is understood that Dr. Flyck, who has an international reputation as an expert in tuberculosis and has had great pert in tuperculosis and has had great success in the conduct of an institution for its treatment at Whitehaven, will have charge of Mr. Phipps's philanthropy. Mr. Phipps has in the last few years devoted several millions of dollars to en-couraging and aiding the study of con-

THREATEN TO DESERT BANNER-MAN FOR LABOR PARTY.

Dissatisfied Because Education Bill Is Dropp ed From the Ministry's Pronme-House of Commons Told That Irish Bill Is Dead -Opposition Joy

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. London, June 4.-The Liberal press and the most devoted supporters of the Government in the House of Commons and elsewhere avow satisfaction with Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's announcement of the Government's programme, but there are disappointment and discontent among some of the Liberals at the intimation that a new education bill would not be introduced until the next session.

The dissatisfaction is chiefly among the Non-conformists, and their Parliamentary committee has convened a meeting to consider the situation. The Government newspapers appeal to them to display patience and loyalty, but some prominent Non-conformist ministers express found regret and disappointment at the Government's decision. One says that if the Liberal party will not do the Nonconformists justice the latter must transfer their allegiance to the Labor party or form a party of their own.

Another cause of offence is the Government's professed inability to carry forward Mr. McKenna's bill to relieve those who object to paying the education rate under the existing law and who "passively re sist" the law by refusing to pay at the cost to themselves of distraint and even imprisonment.

The Opposition makes merry at the troubles of the Government and its supporters and foresees the dissolution of Parliament

LONDON, June 3,-In the House of Commons to-day Prime Minister Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman announced that the Government's programme as to the licensing bill was not ready. He said it would be the first measure brought up at the next session. He also said that the Irish Council bill would not be advanced at this session, nor would the bill for the extension of university education in Leland.

He said the bill for the restoration of evicted tenants in Ireland would be pressed forward and the army organization bill would be passed. The resolution on House of Lords reform would be moved on June

In the House of Commons to-day John I Redmond, the Irish leader, referring to the Irish Council bill, said he had always held and had never disguised the opinion that in attempting a half measure Ministers were undertaking an impossible task and that they would find by hard experience that there was no alternative. no reasonable or logical or possible al-ternative to a full trust of the people in

FIVE HOURS FIRE ON OCEANIC Hard Work to Put Out a Blaze on the Lines -Several Firemen Overcome.

It took the two fireboats McClellan and New Yorker, three fire engines and the crews of two trucks five hours to put the fire out on board the White Star Line steamship Oceanic yesterday morning. The fire, which was discovered by John Hughes, steward, shortly after 1 o'clock was in what is known as compartment No. 7 On trips west this compartment is used for steerage passengers and it accommodates 250 persons. On trips east it is usually used for freight, and since the Oceanic reached port on last Wednesday men who have been taking the places of the striking longshoremen have been housed there.

When the alarm of fire was given all bulkheads were closed tightly to keep the flames from spreading to adjoining compartments. It was soon found that the ship's company was not equal to coping with the fire and an alarm was turned in. The firemen, under Deputy Chief Binns, had a hard time. They were handicapped through not knowing the ship and they had to fight the flames through hatches. out of which dense clouds of smoke were pouring. Then the firemen went below and several were overcome by the fumes and had to be hauled out. It was said that at least twenty suffered in this way but the firemen say that is an exaggeration Firemen John Garry and Woodbridge Hunter of Engine 21, John Cullen and Otto Heohn of Engine 3, John H. Haarkin of Truck 5 and Battalion Chief Thomas F. Norton were the chief sufferers, and the ship's doctor and Dr. Kallaghat of St. Vincent's Hospital, assisted by the

Oceanic's stewards, attended to them as they were hauled out of the fumes. Deputy Chief Blnns said that the compartment was gutted and the damage would amount to about \$5,000. He said the smoke was caused by the burning of the rubber floor covering, cork and mat-tresses. The cargo was damaged by water. At the offices of the line a state-ment was made that the damage was slight It was said that the Oceanic would sail on schedule time. So much water was pumped into the vessel that she is now drawing fourteen inches more than she did before

The Fire Marshal made an investigation assisted by the police, and is satisfied that the fire was accidental. It was probably caused by some one throwing away a lighted match or cigarette.

SUIT AGAINST JOHN A. KEMP New York Attorney Accused of Selling Timber Land He Did Not Own.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 3 .- An action was begun before Justice George F. Lyon in the Supreme Court here to-day by J Edward Davis and Walter S. Havens against John A. Kemp, a New York attorney, to se aside a contract on the ground of fraud in selling them a large tract of timber land he did not own. The land includes the Shinhopple acid factory and a big tract of

They allege that one Harvey J. Neal was employed by Mr. Kemp as foreman of the factory, and that when they were nego-tiating for its purchase Neal went over the territory and pointed out what lands Kemp owned, and that he pointed out a large amount of heavily timbered land which they supposed was included in the pur-chase, but which they subsequently learned belonged to other parties. They contend belonged to other parties. They contend that they were misled by Neal's statements and that he was acting for Kemp and as his agent, and that Kemp was bound by his

acts.

Mr. Kemp denies giving Neal any authority to act for or represent him in the matter, and Neal's evidence on that point was in Kemp's favor. Mr. Kemp has brought an action to fore-close the contract, the purchasers having failed to make the payments according to

ARRESTED ON BRIBERY CHARGE. Agent of Arkansas State Capitol Contrac-

ters Accused of Offering \$21,000. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 3.-George W. Caldwell, local representative in Little Rock, of the firm of Caldwell & Drake, contractors, who are building the new Arkansas

state Capitol, has been arrested charged with bribery.
Caldwell is accused of offering \$21,000 to certain Senators and Representatives of the Ar kansas Legislature, to induce them to pass a bill increasing the Capitol building appropriation \$800,000 over the original appropriation \$800,000 over the original sum voted for that purpose. The arrest is the outcome of indictments against State Senator Webb Covington, who, it is charged, was engineering the extra appropriation

FLEMISH MASTERS SELL WELL.

Pictures by Van Byck. Ru bens and Tenier in Sedelmeyer Sale.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Paris, June 3 .- At the Sedelmeyer art ale here to-day Vandyke's "Portrait of a Gentleman" sold for \$25,000. The following paintings by the same artist were also sold at the prices stated: "Countess of Devon," \$6,000; "William of Orange," \$5,200; Virgin and Child," \$6,600; "Portrait of an Abbé." \$2,400, and "Woman With a Pearl. Necklace," \$750.

Rubens's "Infant Jesus" sold for \$5,200 "Venus" by the same artist brought \$3,400, and "A Man's Portrait" by the same, \$3,200. "The Butchers." by Teniers, sold for \$2,400, and the same artist's "St Anthony" for \$2,000.

BURNHAM OUT ON BAIL

Jerome Will Ask Permiss on to Take the Case to the Court of Appeals.

George Burnham, Jr., whose conviction or grand larceny in his management of the affairs of the Mutual Reserve Life Fund Association, of which he was vice-president and general counsel, was reversed by the Appellate Division, was released yesterday from the Tombs on \$7,500 bail. Burnham's counsel, Sewell T. Tyng, asked that the \$12,500 bail which Burnham had been under before his conviction should be reduced in view of the reversal of the conviction. Assistant District Attorney Kresel asked for \$10,000 bail, but didn't object when Justice Giegerich made it \$7,500. William Crawford was the bondsman.

When District Attorney Jerome got back rom Lakeville, Conn., yesterday Assistant District Attorney Taylor of the appeal oureau had a conference with him on the decision of the Appellate Division in the Burnham case. As a result Mr. Taylor Burnham case. As a result Mr. Taylor will apply to the Appellate Division for an order permitting the District Attorney to go to the Court of Appeals on the decision. It is within the discretion of the Appellate Division to grant this order. If the case goes to the Court of Appeals the only thing it can pass on is the law involved.

One thing was made pretty clear yesterday. The Appellate Division's decision is so sweeping that if it stands it will likely mean that the indictments against Frederick A. Burnham, who was president of the Mutual Reserve, and George D. Eldridge,

erick A. Burnham, who was president of the Mutual Reserve, and George D. Eldridge, who was vice-president, will be dismissed. They were indicted for larceny, the basis of the indictments against them being the same transaction on which George Burn-ham was convicted. The opinion in the District Attorney's office is that if the decision of the Appellate Division is bind-ing in this case it would be useless to try ng in this case it would be useless to try Frederick Burnham and Eldridge. It would also follow, should the opinion now held n the District Attorney's office prevail hat George Burnham will not be

Mr. Jerome says that the Burnham decision does not affect the prosecution of the indictments against other insurance officials He thinks that the Appellate Division deision must be construed as applying to the

turnham case alone. As the Appellate Division decision was unanimous it is doubtful if an order will be granted on which Mr. Jerome can appeal

special Grand Jury for Insurance Cases. A special Grand Jury for this month was sworn in yesterday by Justice Giegerich in the Supreme Court, Criminal Branch. David Freed, a paint manufacturer, is the foreman. Freed, a paint manufacturer, is the foreman. This Grand Jury will take up some insurance cases. It has not been decided by District Attorney Jerome and his assistant, Mr. Kresel, just what will be done. There are certain phases of the old Equitable Life Assurance Society management and the New York Life which have not been touched so far.

AUTO HITS A TELEGRAPH POLE.

Three Women Hart in Quaker City Club's Run to Atlantic City.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 3.-Mrs. Kendall Cressy, Mrs. John R. Wiggins and Mrs. Charles Gillen, prominent in Philadelphia society, were injured by the smashing of Mrs. Wiggins's car into a telegraph pole while the three women were being driven to Atlantic City in the run of the Quaker City Ladies' Automobile Club about noon to-day.

The accident occurred between Pleasantville and Absecon, and was caused by the bursting of a rear tire, which twisted control of the machine out of the hands of

the chauffeur, John Grove. The car was bowling along at a rapid clip and when it swerved it smashed into the pole with sufficient force to throw the occupants from their seats. Fragments of heavy plate glass from the wind guard and pieces of flying metal crashed into the tonneau and gashed the heads of Mrs. Cressy and Mrs. Wiggins as they were thrown partly out of the machine. Gillen and the chauffeur also were cut, but their injuries were not severe. They sig-nalled following autos, in which the in-jured women were rushed to the Atlantic

ity Hospital. Mrs. Cress Cressy's wounds were found to consist of deep cuts, without any dangerous symptoms, and Mrs. Wiggins's cuts were only superficial. Both were able to go to the Hotel Shelbourne, but are still confined to their rooms. Mrs. Gillen was only slightly cut and Grove had an ugly slash

singity cut and cheek.

Several minor accidents to tires and machinery were the only other unpleasant features of the run in which a dozen machines carried about forty well known Philadelphia women to the shore. Most of the participants returned home this of the participants returned home this

PRIEST SLAYERS IN CANADA?

New York Detective in Hallfax Looking for Murderers of Father. HALIFAX, N. S., June 3.-The Police De partment of New York has an officer in

Halifax interviewing the authorities here regarding the Greek murderers of Father The New York police have a theory or have advices that the murderers have come down this way, and they are not only on the outlook in Halifax, but in other

only on the outcome, parts of the province.

The Halifax police have sent out descriptions of the Greeks to all the stations along the Intercolonial Railway and other lines and if the fugitives are in Nova Scotia they will soon be found. A despatch says they are believed to have left Montreal for the East. Leyola School Commencement The closing exercises of the Loyola school were held yesterday in the schoolhouse.

at 65 East Eighty-third street. The Right Rev. Mgr. Mooney made an address. The annual elocution contest was held, the winannual electron contest was neid, the winners in the senior section being James P.
Silo, Jr., and Edward L. Amy, and in the
junior section, Robert McLaughlin and
St. Clair Hertel. The judges were Dr.
Francis J. Quinlan, president of the Catholic
Club: Civil Service Commissioner Tully
and the Rev. Thomas Mihan.

Funeral Coach Drivers' Strike Averted. A general strike of 1,600 funeral coach

drivers, belonging to the Funeral Coach Drivers' Union, which would have meant the holding up of many funerals, was averted last night at a meeting of the union in Murphy's Hall, Forty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, by the ratification of an agreement for a year between representatives of the union and of the Funeral Coach Owners' Association. The dispute was as to whether the agreement should be for one or two years. The employers wanted a two year agreement. one or two years. The a two year agreement.

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seph Morroney Had Falled to Comply With Demands-His Mother, Wife and Daughter the Victims - Buildings Badly Damaged-Dynamiter Escapes.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., June 3.-Somebody put a big stick of dynamite in the stove n the home of Joseph Morroney, at 30 North Fourth avenue, to-day and it exploded, mangling Morroney's aged mother and injuring his wife and ten-year-old daughter. The injured are Mrs. Mary Morroney, 76 years old, arms blown off and body badly burned; Mrs. Joseph Morroney, scalp partly torn off and body burned, and Annie, the daughter, face disfigured and hair

Morroney is proprietor of the saloon connected with the Wigwam Hotel, the office of which is on the ground floor at 30 North Fourth avenue. He was behind the bar when the explosion occurred. The poise sent all the inmates of the building scurrying to the street. They thought there had been an earthquake. The build ing and those adjoining shook, dishes were rolled from shelves and the windows were smashed. The explosion practically demolished everything on the second floor. A large hole was blown in the ceiling of the Morroney kitchen, while the range was blown to pieces and a big hole was ripped in the floor beneath it.

About nine months ago Morroney, who is one of the wealthiest Italians in Mount Vernon, received the following letter: Joe Morroney-If you don't leave \$500

at Eleventh avenue and Third street you

will get in serious trouble. Don't forget BLACK HAND SOCIETY Morroney disregarded the letter, though his family worried a good deal about it. Six weeks ago he got another letter, similarly signed, which said:

Joe Morroney-You have been fooling us right straight along. You didn't leave the \$500 as we told you. Some day we will get you and blow you up if you don't leave the money under a big stone at Sydney a venue and Crary street. Don't make any mistake. Morroney says he followed the instruc-

tions and went to the place with the \$500. but he added: "I carried a big revolver and I had spies around me, but the members of the Black Hand society failed to show up. I feel certain that some enemy who was seeking

to get money out of me was responsible for blowing up my kitchen "
The injured persons were taken to a hospital. The elder Mrs. Morroney said that while she was cooking dinner on the gas range a strange man sneaked into the gas range a strange man sheared into the kitchen, threw something into the coal range at the other side of the room and ran out. She did not get a good look at him and could not describe him A few seconds after he left the explosion occurred.

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